

A Good German Day in St. Louis

April 24, 2019

St. Louis is called the "Gateway to the West" and is home to two big rivers, breweries, baseball fans and lots of Germans!

In the early 1800's German immigration began as a trickle into Missouri and the St. Louis area and then, like the mighty Mississippi, there was a flood of German immigrants into the area.

In 1833 there were eighteen German families in St. Louis, by the 1880's one St. Louisan in four claimed some ethnicity; Germans accounted for slightly more than half. They established their own neighborhoods, churches, schools and businesses. They were industrious, steady and shaped the culture of St. Louis and the surrounding area.

Join us as we spend the day with Linda Koenig, one of our favorite St. Louis guides, touring German sites in St. Louis. You will see German sculptures, Concordia Seminary, St. Francis de Sales Catholic Church (designed in the German-American Gothic style), fine early stone mid-1800' German street houses, and enjoy a delicious German meal at Grbic Restaurant.

Trip cost: \$110 (sign up by March 25)

Trip includes:

- Transportation
- Lunch
- Step-on Guided Tour

